

Title (en)

Methods and systems for subscriber identity management in a mobile device

Title (de)

Verfahren und Systeme für Abonnentenidentitätsmanagement in einer mobilen Vorrichtung

Title (fr)

Procédés et systèmes de gestion d'identité d'abonné dans un dispositif mobile

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Abstract (en)

Methods and systems for managing a pool of subscriber identities, and wirelessly provisioning mobile devices to use one or more of the subscriber identities when a subscriber is roaming on a different network. When a subscriber's mobile device connects to a visited network, a subscriber identity server can be notified. The subscriber identity server may have access to a plurality of available subscriber identities (e.g., registered to various service providers), and may select a suitable subscriber identity matching the subscriber's visited network. The subscriber identity can be communicated to the subscriber's mobile device, which can be reprogrammed to assume the new subscriber identity.

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